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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.323

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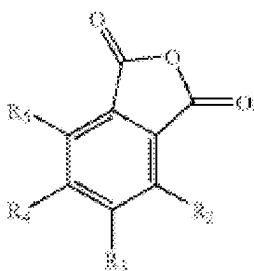
Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.323, the Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to issue a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified Patent to correct the four errors in the references listed under the Other Publications header on the face of the Patent (Item [56]) and the error in claim 12 indicated below.

More particularly, on the face page, right column, line 7, delete “Chemisty”, and insert --Chemistry,--; line 10, delete “Society,” and insert --Society,--; line 11, delete “cyckophane” and insert --cyclophane--; and line 26, delete “cephalosprrin” and insert --cephalosporin--; and at Column 24, lines 35-45 (approx.), in claim 12, beginning at line 3, delete

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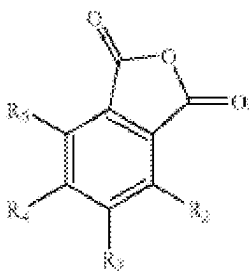
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And insert

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--, therefor.



As evidenced by the file, the clerical error in the spelling of “Chemistry” and “Society” were the fault of the Patent and Trademark Office since the “List of References cited by applicant and considered by Examiner”, Mail Room Date December 17, 2009, lists the terms correctly on page 1 of 2, entry 3, line 2 (under Other Prior Art) and entry 4, line 2 (under Other Prior Art).

The error in the general formula of claim 12, line 3 onward wherein the first of the above structures, rather than the second of the above structures, is shown therein is also the fault of the Patent and Trademark Office because it was correctly depicted in amended claim 12 of the Amendment and Response filed by Applicants, Mail Room Date August 19, 2009.

Accordingly, please issue a Certificate of Correction and place such Certificate in the file, so that such will appear on any copies of the Patent which are ordered in the future. Please charge Deposit Account No. 11-1153 in the amount of \$100.00 to cover the fee for such correction. However, should the Patent and Trademark Office determine additional fees are due, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 11-1153 for this filing.

A copy of Form PTO/SB/44 embodying the requested correction accompanies this letter.

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